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Plane Lost in Cuba Trying to Film Raid

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MIAMI, June 23—A desire to make movies on an anti-Castro, bombing mission last week may have spelled doom for the raiders, Cuban exiles said to-l day.

"The pilot, Luis Diaz, asked that he be permitted to make the raid in daylight rather than during protective darkness," said spokesmen for the sponsoring organizations.

Diaz, 23, was killed after he and two companions dropped three bombs on a Central Cuba sugar mill. The Havana radio said the other two were injured when the plane was shot down. Both were captured.

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Cuba Charges 'Pirate Plane' U. S.-Owned

HAVANA, June 21 (IPI)—Premier Fidel Castro's revolutionary regime charged today that the "pirate plane" shot down over Cuba Friday night took off from a private airfield south of Miami to bomb a Cuban sugarmill.

A brief official announcement described the plane as a Cessna 205 belonging to the American Aviation Corp. of Miami, and said it took on its bombs at the Brown Aero Country Club field.

The announcement confirmed earlier reports that two of the three persons in the plane when it was shot down—a man and a woman—were captured alive. It said today's charges were based on statements they gave Castroite authorities.